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Mr. U. C. SUBRAHMANYA BHATT :—" May I know whether the hon. the Home Member will call for the information ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "Yes."

Mr. K. P. RAMAN MENON :—" May I ask how the Government say that there were no excesses by the police when they have received no reports one way or the other ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "In the fortnightly reports the Government received there is no such incident mentioned."

Mr. BASHEER AHMED SAYEED :—" Why should Government say that they have no information ?"

Selection and resignation of Sub-Inspectors of Police.

*54 Q.—Mr. V. P. NARAYANAN NAMBIYAR : Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state—

(a) the number of persons selected this year for training as Sub-Inspectors of Police ;

(b) how many of these persons have resigned their posts ; and

(c) the reasons for the resignations ?

A.—(a) The sanctioned number is 89.

(b) & (c) The Government have no information.

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" May I know whether Government have received any protests about their treatment ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "I have not received any."

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" Will the Government call for the information ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "Yes, Sir."

Mr. A. RANGANATHA MUDALIYAR :—" With reference to (a) the answer is 'the sanctioned number is 89.' Was the full number recruited ? May I know how many are undergoing training now ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "I have not got the information."

Mr. BASHEER AHMED SAYEED :—" May I know why some have resigned and whether the hon. the Home Member will call for the reasons and place them on the table of the House ?"

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MAHOMED USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :— "I have already said that I will call for a report."

Forests

Orders on the report of the Chief Conservator of Forests.

*55 Q.—Mr. A. B. SHETTY : Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state what orders have been passed by the Government on the report of the Chief Conservator of Forests regarding the forest policy of Government ?

A.—The question is under consideration.